

Committed to the Future

Don Getty and his Progressive Conservative team have demonstrated their commitment to help Albertans gain employment in all communities and in all sectors of our provincial economy.

Assistance for Alberta's Oil Industry

To stabilize employment levels and assist Alberta's oil industry, the Don Getty team pledge to:

- provide \$100-million of benefits from the Adjusted Alberta Royalty Tax Credit — a program to reduce royalties paid by small independent producers.
- provide \$300-million of benefits from the Exploratory Drilling Assistance program — which will allow companies to deduct up to 50% of well drilling costs from royalties on crown land.
- provide financial assistance for major energy projects.

Incentives for Small Business

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- The Alberta Small Business Term Assistance Plan is a \$750-million small business loan program designed to improve the access of small businesses to 9% fixed-rate, 10 year fixed-term debt financing.

Support for Agriculture in Alberta

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- introduce long-term loans for farmers at a fixed interest

Employment Programs

To stimulate the economy and provide new jobs, several major employment programs have been put in place by Don Getty and the Progressive Conservative team. These include:

- creation of jobs in construction of roads, buildings, parks and dams and other water management projects through \$2-billion worth of budget proposals for capital projects.
- a new \$500-million employment program — in all Alberta municipalities — providing local jobs through municipal works.

Jobs in the Future through Diversification

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- introduce long-term loans for farmers at a fixed interest rate of 9% over 20 years — a \$2-billion investment in Alberta's agricultural future.
- double the Farm Fuel Rebate.
- contribute to lower production costs for insurance, fertilizer, energy and money.

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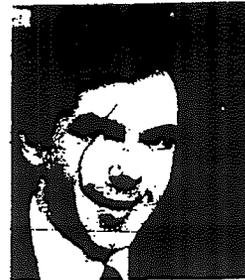
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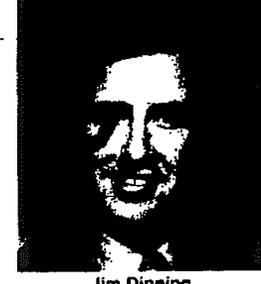
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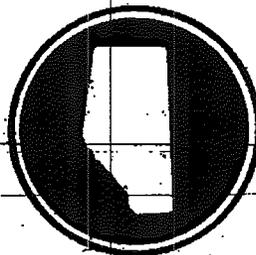


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